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CLAIM OF EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

· Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully claim a four (4) month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) extending the time for filing a Response to the Notice of Appeal filed July 20, 2005 from September 20, 2005 to January 20, 2006.

A check in the amount of \$1,590.00 is being submitted herewith pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b).

Confirmation of the foregoing Extension of Time is respectfully solicited.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2719. A duplicate copy of this claim is enclosed.

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